IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Atty Dkt. 2635-16 In re Patent Application of ._.C# M# JUN 2 8 2006 1753 **SUGIYAMA** TC/A.U. Serial No. 09/873,287 Examiner: Olsen Date: June 28, 2006 Filed: June 5, 2001 MULTILAYERED GAS SENSING ELEMENT EMPLOYABLE IN AN EXHAUST Title: SYSTEM OF AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon. Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. Fees are attached as calculated below: Total effective claims after amendment minus highest number previously paid for 20 x \$50.00 \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$ (at least 20) =0 Independent claims after amendment minus highest number previously paid for x \$200.00 (at least 3) =\$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$ If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add \$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$ Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251) Two Month Extensions \$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252) Three Month Extensions \$1020.00 (1253/\$510.00 (2253) Four Month Extensions \$1590.00 (1254/\$795.00 (2254) Five Month Extensions \$2160.00 (1255/\$1080.00 (2255) \$ Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$130.00 (1814)/\$65.00 (2814) ☐ Statement filed herewith Applicant claims "small entity" status. Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee \$180.00 (1806) Assignment Recording Fee \$40.00 (8021) Other: **TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$** 0.00 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. 901 North Glebe Road, 11th Floor NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C. Arlington, Virginia 22203-1808 By Atty: Michelle N. Lester_Reg. No. 32,33 Telephone: (703) 816-4000 Facsimile: (703) 816-4100

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Responsive to the Official Action dated April 6, 2006, kindly enter the following amendment and remarks.